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Applicant(s): Adamou and Choi  
Division of Serial No: 09/590,991 Art Unit: 1645  
Filed: 9 June 2000 Examiner: Devi, S.  
Title: Streptococcus Pneumoniae Proteins and Vaccines  
Docket No: 469290-589

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BOX PATENT APPLICATION  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL OF DIVISIONAL APPLICATION

Sir:

Applicants hereby file a Divisional Application of Serial No. 09/590,991, filed 9 June 2000, of inventors John E. Adamou and Gil H. Choi, entitled:

Streptococcus Pneumoniae Proteins and Vaccines

in support of which the following are filed herewith:

1. Divisional Application (33 sheets);
2. Drawings (4 sheets);
3. Paper Sequence Listing (8 sheets);
4. Sequence Listing in Computer Readable Form (3.5" diskette);
5. Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.821(f) and (g);
6. Copy of Executed Declaration of inventors as originally filed (1 sheet);
7. Statement re Substitute Specification;
8. Check for \$740.00; and
9. Return Post Card.

The fee has been calculated as follows **ON THE BASIS THAT APPLICANT IS A LARGE ENTITY:**

	<u>Number of Claims Filed</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>		<u>Rate</u>	<u>Fee</u>
Basic Fee				\$740	\$740
Total Claims	17 - 20 =	0	X	\$ 18	\$
Indep. Claims	3 - 3 =	0	X	\$ 84	\$
TOTAL:					\$740

The Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-0678.

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**Statement Under 37 C.F.R. 1.821(f) and (g)**

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Applicant hereby asserts that the paper Sequence Listing and the CRF form (diskette) of the Sequence Listing filed herewith are the same. In addition, the sequences contained are the same as originally filed with the parent application and add no new matter.

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**SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION**

Sir:

The accompanying Divisional Application is a true copy of the parent application referred to above with the following changes:

1. New claim set to reflect a prior restriction and election of species in the parent application:

2. Addition of the parent application Serial No. to the priority claim on page 1.

3. The sequence listing has been amended to reflect the new priority claim.

No other changes have been made.

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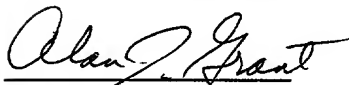
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